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Hogs And Pigs



FLORIDA: The December 1, 1981 inventory of hogs and pigs on Florida farms is estimated at 257,000 head, down 31 percent from a year earlier. The 47,000 head kept for breeding, is down 28 percent from December 1, 1980. The 210,000 market hogs and pigs, which make up 82 percent of the total, is down 31 percent from a year ago.

The December 1980 - November 1981 pig crop is estimated at 529,000 head, down 22 percent from the previous year.

UNITED STATES: Inventory of all hogs and pigs is estimated at 58.7 million head on December 1, 1981. This is 9 percent below a year ago and 13 percent less than December 1, 1979. Breeding hog inventory at 7.84 million is 14 percent below last year and down

19 percent from two years ago. Market hog inventory at 50.8 million is 8 percent fewer than a year earlier and 12 percent less than two years ago.

The U. S. pig crop for 1981 totaled 93.8 million head, 8 percent below 1980 and 9 percent below the 1979 pig crop. December 1980 - May 1981 pig crop, estimated at 47.6 million head, is down 9 percent from a year earlier and 6 percent below the comparable period two years ago.

June - November 1981 pig crop, estimated at 46.2 million head, is 6 percent fewer than a year ago and 11 percent below the June - November 1979 crop.

A total of 6.26 million sows farrowed during June - November 1981, 8 percent fewer than a year earlier. The litter size during this period averaged 7.38 compared with 7.21 a year earlier.

Hogs and pigs: Inventory number, December 1, sows farrowing, and pig crop, 1979-1982, United States

Item	1979	1980	1981	1982	1981 as percent of 1980	1982 as percent of 1981
	1,000 head				Percent	
Inventory Number - December 1						
All hogs and pigs	67,353	64,512	58,691		91	
Kept for breeding	9,655	9,148	7,844		86	
Market	57,699	55,364	50,847		92	
Market hogs and pigs						
By weight groups:						
Under 60 pounds	22,845	22,139	19,465		88	
60-119 pounds	15,437	13,982	12,924		92	
120-179 pounds	11,284	11,000	10,453		95	
180 pounds and over	8,133	8,243	8,005		97	
Sows farrowing:						
December 1/ - February	3,184	3,317	2,914		88	
March - May	3,995	3,913	3,526		90	
December 1/ - May	7,179	7,229	6,440	2/ 5,760	89	89
June - August	3,765	3,399	3,196		94	
September - November	3,541	3,430	3,062		89	
June - November	7,306	6,829	6,258		92	
Pig crop:						
December 1/ - May	50,571	52,286	47,600	3/ 41,500	91	87
June - November	52,120	49,256	46,176		94	
Year	102,691	101,542	93,776		92	
Pigs per litter:						
December 1/ - May	7.04	7.23	7.39	3/ 7.20	102	97
June - November	7.13	7.21	7.38		102	

1/ December preceding year. 2/ Intentions. 3/ Average number of pigs per litter with allowance for trend used to compute indicated December - May pig crop.



Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Numbers, Breeding, Market and Total,
December 1, 1980-81, 14 states

State	Breeding			Market			Total		
	1980	1981		1980	1981		1980	1981	
		Number	As % of 1980		Number	As % of 1980		Number	As % of 1980
	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent
Georgia	380	204	54	1,920	1,316	69	2,300	1,520	66
Illinois	891	826	93	5,709	5,624	99	6,600	6,450	98
Indiana	625	540	86	3,975	3,560	90	4,600	4,100	89
Iowa	2,095	2,061	98	14,005	14,239	102	16,100	16,300	101
Kansas	250	207	83	1,650	1,563	95	1,900	1,770	93
Kentucky	183	161	88	1,037	879	85	1,220	1,040	85
Minnesota	816	580	71	4,284	3,720	87	5,100	4,300	84
Missouri	633	525	83	3,347	2,875	86	3,980	3,400	85
Nebraska	545	533	98	3,355	3,567	106	3,900	4,100	105
North Carolina	340	275	81	2,120	1,705	80	2,460	1,980	80
Ohio	265	270	102	1,885	1,780	94	2,150	2,050	95
South Dakota	260	219	84	1,600	1,491	93	1,860	1,710	92
Texas	130	83	64	800	617	77	930	700	75
Wisconsin	269	225	84	1,411	1,155	82	1,680	1,380	82
Total 14 States	7,682	6,709	87	47,098	44,091	94	54,780	50,800	93

Market Hogs and Pigs: Inventory Number, by Weight
Group, December 1, 1980-81, 14 states

State	Under 60 Lbs.		60-119 Lbs.		120-179 Lbs.		180 Lbs. and Over	
	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981	1980	1981
1,000 Head								
Georgia	791	526	503	375	399	250	227	165
Illinois	2,085	2,053	1,520	1,361	1,184	1,254	920	956
Indiana	1,424	1,253	1,053	982	862	776	636	549
Iowa	5,672	5,573	3,431	3,613	2,801	2,884	2,101	2,169
Kansas	638	594	425	366	317	322	270	281
Kentucky	440	378	254	220	179	145	164	136
Minnesota	1,778	1,470	1,070	1,004	900	707	536	539
Missouri	1,439	1,179	803	690	619	604	486	402
Nebraska	1,359	1,366	845	870	648	728	503	603
North Carolina	880	685	530	418	400	329	310	273
Ohio	697	680	481	445	415	380	292	275
South Dakota	650	574	420	403	300	276	230	238
Texas	310	166	180	155	160	151	150	145
Wisconsin	612	502	354	293	254	200	191	160
Total 14 States	18,775	16,999	11,869	11,195	9,438	9,006	7,016	6,891

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IOWA: There were 16.3 million hogs and pigs on Iowa farms as of December 1, 1981, 1 percent above the 16.1 million on hand a year ago. Of this total, 14.24 million were market hogs, up 2 percent from the previous year. Breeding stock, at 2.06 million head, was down 2 percent from December 1980.

The September-November pig crop totaled 6.26 million, down 1 percent from the same quarter last year. These pigs were farrowed by 840 thousand sows with an average of 7.45 pigs saved per litter.

Producers indicate intentions to farrow 660 thousand sows during December 1981-February 1982, the same as a year earlier. The intended farrowings for March-May, 1982, at 920 thousand sows is a decrease of 2 percent from the same months last year.

**This report is a result of the voluntary response of Iowa farmers to our December 1, 1981, Hog and Pig Inquiry. We sincerely thank those producers for their cooperation.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

HIGHLIGHTS OF REPORT

Percent of changes from previous year	Iowa	14 States ¹	United States
Hogs on farms, December 1, 1981	+1	-9	-8
Sows farrowed, September-November 1981	-2	-8	-11
Pig crop, September-November 1981	-1	-7	-9
Farrowing intentions, December 1981-February 1982	NC	-6	-
Farrowing intentions, March-May 1982	-2	-11	-

HOGS AND PIGS ON FARMS, DECEMBER 1, 1981-82

Inventory item	Iowa			14 States ¹			United States		
	1980	1981	% Change	1980	1981	% Change	1980	1981	% Change
	1,000 head			1,000 head			1,000 head		
All hogs & pigs	16,100	16,300	101	54,780	50,800	93	64,512	58,691	91
For breeding	2,095	2,061	98	7,682	6,709	87	9,148	7,844	86
Market	14,005	14,239	102	47,098	44,091	94	55,364	50,847	92
Market hogs & pigs									
Under 60 pounds	5,672	5,573	98	18,775	16,999	91	22,139	19,465	88
60-119 pounds	3,431	3,613	105	11,869	11,195	94	13,982	12,924	92
120-179 pounds	2,801	2,884	103	9,438	9,006	95	11,000	10,453	95
180 pounds & over	2,101	2,169	103	7,016	6,891	98	8,243	8,005	97

SOWS FARROWING AND PIGS SAVED, 1980-82

Item	Iowa			14 States ¹			United States		
	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982	1980	1981	1982
	1,000 head								
Sows farrowed									
Dec. ² -Feb.	700	600	660 ³	2,740	2,434	2,281 ³	3,317	2,914	-
Mar.-May	960	940	920 ³	3,356	3,075	2,730 ³	3,913	3,526	5,760 ⁴
June-Aug.	735	780	-	2,838	2,735	-	3,399	3,196	-
Sep.-Nov.	860	840	-	2,917	2,676	-	3,430	3,062	-
TOTAL	3,255	3,160	-	11,851	10,920	-	14,059	12,698	-
Pigs saved ⁴									
Dec. ² -Feb.	4,970	4,818	-	19,650	17,609	-	23,682	21,046	-
Mar.-May	7,056	7,097	-	24,600	23,202	-	28,604	26,554	41,500 ⁴
June-Aug.	5,292	5,811	-	20,382	20,153	-	24,341	23,540	-
Sep.-Nov.	6,321	6,258	-	21,211	19,757	-	24,915	22,636	-
TOTAL PIG CROP	23,639	23,984	-	85,843	80,721	-	101,542	93,776	-

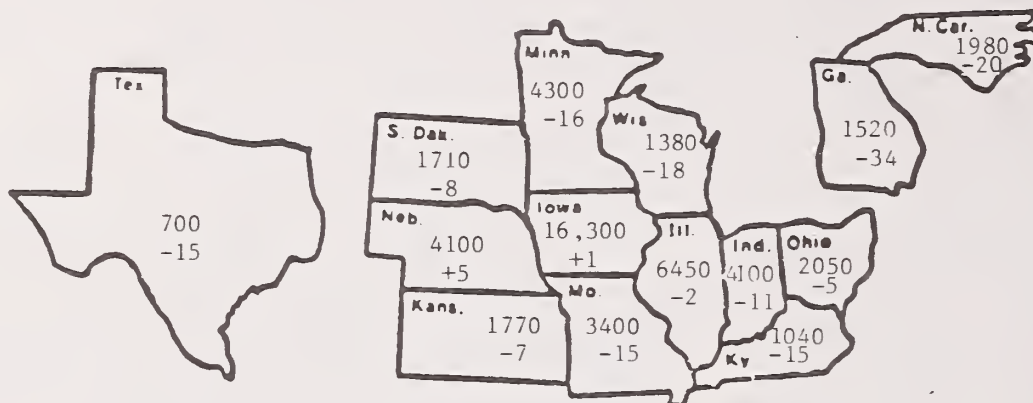
¹Total 14 states include Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Carolina, Ohio, South Dakota, Texas, and Wisconsin. ²December of preceding year. ³Intentions. ⁴December-May intentions.

HOGS AND PIGS ON FARMS, DECEMBER 1, 1980-81

State	Breeding			Market			Total		
	1980	1981	1981 as % of 1980	1980	1981	1981 as % of 1980	1980	1981	1981 as % of 1980
	1,000 head	1,000 head		1,000 head	1,000 head		1,000 head		
Illinois	891	826	93	5,709	5,624	99	6,600	6,450	98
Iowa	2,095	2,061	98	14,005	14,239	102	16,100	16,300	101
Minnesota	816	580	71	4,284	3,720	87	5,100	4,300	84
Missouri	633	525	83	3,347	2,875	86	3,980	3,400	85
Nebraska	545	533	98	3,355	3,567	106	3,900	4,100	105
Total 14 states ¹	7,682	6,709	87	47,098	44,091	94	54,780	50,800	93

HOGS AND PIGS ON FARMS AND PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR
(1,000 Head)

14 STATES TOTAL: 50,800
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SOW FARROWINGS, PIGS SAVED PER LITTER, AND PIG CROP, 1981-82

State	December-February					March-May				
	Sows farrowing		1981			Sows farrowing		1981		
	1981	1982 ³	as % of 1981	Pigs per litter	Pig crop ⁴	1981	1982 ³	as % of 1981	Pigs per litter	Pig crop ⁴
	Number	Number				Number	Number			
	1,000 head	1,000 head		Number	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head		Number	1,000 head
Illinois	295	295	100	6.80	2,006	420	370	88	7.40	3,108
Iowa	660	660	100	7.30	4,818	940	920	98	7.55	7,097
Minnesota	250	215	86	7.40	1,850	280	220	79	7.60	2,128
Missouri	200	175	88	7.15	1,430	240	190	79	7.55	1,812
Nebraska	180	190	106	7.35	1,323	235	220	94	7.55	1,774
Total 14 States ¹	2,434	2,281	94	7.23	17,609	3,075	2,730	89	7.55	23,202

SOW FARROWINGS, PIGS SAVED PER LITTER, AND PIG CROP, 1980-81 (Cont'd)

State	June-August					September-November				
	Sows farrowing		1981			Sows farrowing		1981		
	1980	1981	as % of 1980	Pigs per litter	Pig crop ⁴	1980	1981	as % of 1980	Pigs per litter	Pig crop ⁴
	Number	Number				Number	Number			
	1,000 head	1,000 head		Number	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head		Number	1,000 head
Illinois	365	370	101	7.05	2,609	360	350	97	7.20	2,520
Iowa	735	780	106	7.45	5,811	860	840	98	7.45	6,258
Minnesota	300	260	87	7.30	1,898	280	230	82	7.50	1,725
Missouri	240	230	96	7.35	1,691	240	210	88	7.05	1,481
Nebraska	190	200	105	7.35	1,470	215	230	107	7.40	1,702
Total 14 States ¹	2,838	2,735	96	7.37	20,153	2,917	2,676	92	7.38	19,757

¹Total 14 states include Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Carolina, Ohio, South Dakota, Texas, and Wisconsin. ²December preceding year. ³Intentions. ⁴Number of pigs born during the quarter that were on hand at the end of the quarter or had been sold.

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